

1 **BOARD BILL # 239 INTRODUCED BY ALDERMAN CHARLES QUINCY TROUPE**

2 An Ordinance prohibiting the unlawfully possession or use of any controlled substance or the  
3 distribution or delivery of any controlled substance to another person in or within one thousand  
4 feet of the real property comprising a public park; containing a penalty clause and an emergency  
5 clause.

6 **BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF ST. LOUIS AS FOLLOWS:**

7 **SECTION ONE.** A person commits the offense of distribution of a controlled substance near  
8 public parks if such person unlawfully possesses or uses any controlled substance or distributes  
9 or delivers any controlled substance to another person in or or within one thousand feet of the  
10 real property comprising a public park.

11 **SECTION TWO.** Any person found guilty of violating the provisions of this ordinance shall be  
12 subject to a fine of not less than Five Hundred Dollars (\$500) or a term of imprisonment of not  
13 less than Ninety(90) days or both a fine and term of imprisonment.

14 **SECTION THREE.** This ordinance being necessary for the preservation of the public safety  
15 and welfare is declared an emergency ordinance under Article IV, Sections 19 and 20 of the City  
16 Charter and, therefore, this Ordinance shall become effective immediately upon its passage and  
17 approval by the Mayor.